underworld elements had been commissioned to eliminate a team of Enforcement Directorate Officials, which planned to go there to investigate sensitive cases;

(b) if so, the details thereof and whether Government of United Arab Emirates, to ensure security of the investigation team; and

(c) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI SALEEM IQBAL SHERWANI): (a) The matter is under investigation at present and the full facts will only be known after the investigation is completed.

(b) and (c) The investigation team of Enforcement Directorate under the Ministry of Finance has not left for Dubai. However, if it does go, adequate security arrangements will be made accordingly.

अनिवासी भारतीय बनने के लिए आवेदन

2513. **श्री अनन्तराय देवशंकर दवे :** क्या प्रधान मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) गत तीन वर्षों के दौरान राज्य-वार कितने भारतीय नागरिकों ने अनिवासी भारतीय बनने के लिये आवेदनपत्र प्रस्तुत किए है ;

(ख) अनिवासी भारतीय बनने के लिये क्या मापदंड निर्धारित किये गये है ;

(ग) भारतीय फिल्म उद्योग के ऐसे व्यक्तियों का ब्यौरा क्या है जिन्होंने अनिवासी भारतीय का दर्जा ग्रहण किया है

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प्रधान मंत्री (श्री इन्द्र कुमार गुजराल) : (क) भारतीय नागरिकों को अनिवासी भारतीय का दर्जा प्राप्त करने के लिए कोई आवेदन प्रस्तुत करने की आवश्यकता नहीं होती ।

(ख) वे भारतीय नागरिक, जो रोजगार अथवा व्यापार या व्यवसाय चलाने के लिए अथवा किसी परिस्थिति में किसी अन्य प्रयोजन के लिए भारत से बाहर प्रवास को अनिश्चित अवधि का उल्लेख करते हैं, अनिवासी भारतीय का दर्जा प्राप्त करने के पात्र होते है ।

(ग) चूंकि अनिवासी भारतीय होने के लिए कोई औपचारिक आवेदन देने की जरूरत नहीं होती, इसलिए यह निर्धारित करना सम्भव नहीं है कि भारतीय फिल्म उद्योग के किन व्यक्तियों ने अनिवासी भारतीय का दर्जा प्राप्त कर लिया है ।

(घ) भारत में अनिवासी भारतीय निवेश को सुविधाजनक बनाने तथा उसे प्रोत्साहन देने के लिए वित्त मंत्रालय के अधीन एक अनिवासी भारतीय प्रकोष्ठ कार्य कर रहा है । इन सुविधाओं में अन्य बातों के साथ-साथ भारत में उत्तराधिकार तथा सम्पत्ति अर्जित करने का अधिकार, विभिन्न योजनाओं के अन्तर्गत अप्रत्यावर्तन और प्रत्यावर्तन आधार पर निवेश, भारत में अनिवासी बैंक खाता खोलना, प्राथमिकता वाले उद्योगों में निवेश, नियंत्रणमुक्त परियोजनाएं और अनिवासी भारतीय बाण्ड, स्वदेश लौट रहे अनिवासी भारतीयों को कर प्रोत्साहन तथा विशेष आयात सुविधाएं शामिल है ।

(ङ) मौजूदा भारतीय कानून के तहत दोहरी नागरिकता की अनुमति नहीं है ।

under the provi-sions of the Indian Medical Council Act, 1956, from the Secretary Thriumuruga Kirupananda Variyar Thavathiru Sundara Swamigal Medical Educational and Charitable Trust, ,Salem on 13-9-1995 for establishment of a new medical college in the name of Vinayaka Mission's Kirupananda Variyar Medical College at Salem. The Government, on the recommendations of the Medical Council of India, accorded permission for the establishment of abova college on 4-3-1996 from the academic year 1995-96.

Supply of medkines for four months at one t'ime to chronic CGHS patients

2517. SHRI OP. KOHLIi Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Fifth Central Pay Commission has recommended that the CGHS beneficiary chronic patients, suffering from diseases like diabetes, high blood pressure, heart trouble, etc., ou>;ht to be issued the prescribed medicine-, for months at one time;

(b) whether Government ar$_e$ implementing/purpose io implement this recommendation *ft* the intere-t o/ bo'h the beneficiaries as well a$_s$ the CGHS dispensary staff, particularly in Delhi; a ad

(c) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WE'.FARE (SHR1MAT1 RENUKA CHOWDHURY): (a) to 11 The Fifth Central Pay Commission has recommended th.it the CGHS should supply medicines for atleast 3 months at a time to patients suffering from chronic disease. This recommendation i» under-connideration of Government.

Amend.nenr of the prevention of food adulteration Ac

1318 SHRI O. P KOHLI: Will the PRIME MTNISTER be pleased to stale:

(a) whether th« Prevention of Food Adulteration Act hat been amended suitably to provide for exemplary punishment to the violators of the Act, keeping ^ view the rampant adulteration in rni.'k and eatables; and

(b) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRiMATI RENUKA CHOWDHURY): (a) The Pre. vention of Food Adulteration Act 1954 ha's been amended ttree times in ths p:«t in order to plu? the loopholes observed from time to time. The exist'ug reml provisions contained in the said Act include imprisonment for ti'e with a minimum fine of rupees five thousand depending[1] upon the gravity of the offence. The Prevention of Food Adulteration Rules, 1955 already prohibit sale of milk or milk products con'a'n'ng extreneous/foreien substrn~e. T[H]e Fooi Health Authorities of StateVUTs Hve been asked to keen a vigil on qnal'ty ol milk and eatables.

(b) Does not arise.

Reservation n«Wcv for srs'STs in Dr. R. P. Unit of A1TMS

2519. SHRI MD. SALIM: W'll [In]« PRIME MINISTER be pleased to s[tiitc;]

ta) whether reservation po'icy for SO* ST$_S$ has been followed in Dr. R- [P]-OhH of VMS. New Delhi for the Pf* of Senior Residents on *ad-hoc* b^'s f[rcm] July, 1994 to June. 1997; if *<o.* the details thereof and if noL the reasons the"[5]-for;

(b) how many SC/ST candidates have secured more marks th^n general cat* gory candidates in written test* and b»"' been pu bed back in the interview;

(c) whether Government have recei[reo] any complaint in this regard; and

fd) if so, what actirn has been tak"[I] is proposed to be taken by Govrtm^ against the guilty officials and to